

**PUBLIC NOTICE OF A MEETING FOR  
STATE OF NEVADA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS**

DATE OF MEETING: Friday, July 14, 2023      Time: 8:00 a.m.

The meeting of the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners (Board) will be conducted and may be attended through a remote technology system (video- or teleconference). To participate remotely, individuals are invited to enter the meeting from the Zoom website at <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89300038142>. To access the meeting via audio only, dial 1-669-900-6833 and enter the meeting ID:

**893 0003 8142**. The meeting may also be attended at the physical location of the Board Office at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite B-116, Reno, Nevada, 89502. (The Board office recommends that individuals unfamiliar with ZOOM should visit the website in advance to familiarize themselves with the format by viewing the online tutorials and reading the FAQs. To learn more about Zoom, go to <https://zoom.us/>.)

The Board will accept public comment via email. Those wishing to make public comment should email their public comments to the Board office at [nbop@govmail.state.nv.us](mailto:nbop@govmail.state.nv.us). Written public comments must be received prior to the start of the meeting and will be forwarded to the Board for their consideration. Public comments will be included in the public record (meeting minutes) but will not necessarily be read aloud during the meeting. In compliance with Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 241 (Open Meeting Law), the Board is precluded from taking action on items raised by public comment which are not already on the agenda.

The Board may take items out of order, combine items for consideration, and items may be pulled or removed from the agenda at any time. Public comment will be taken at the beginning and end of the meeting. The public may provide comment on any matter whether or not that matter is a specific topic on the agenda. However, prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or quasi-judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual, the Board may refuse to consider public comment on that item. (NRS 233B.126) Public comment that is willfully disruptive is prohibited, and individuals who willfully disrupt the meeting may be removed from the meeting. (NRS 241.030(5)(b)). The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person (NRS 241.030). Once all items on the agenda are completed, the meeting will adjourn.

**AGENDA**

**1. Call To Order/Roll Call to Determine the Presence of a Quorum.**

**2. Public Comment.** Note: Public comment is welcomed by the Board and may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the Board President. Public comment will be allowed at the beginning and end of the meeting, as noted on the agenda. The Board President may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in their sole discretion. Comments will not be restricted based on viewpoint. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken (NRS 241.020).

**3. Minutes. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners on June 2, 2023.**

**4. Financials**

- A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Make Changes to and/or Tentatively Close Out the Fiscal Year 2023 Budget subject to an annual audit.
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Treasurer's Report for Fiscal Year 2023 (July 1, 2022, Through June 30, 2023).
- C. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve any Recommended Changes to the Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2024.
- D. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Proposed Engagement Letter and invoice from David A. Hines of Campbell Jones Cohen CPAs for the Annual Board Audit.

**5. Legislative Update**

- A. (For Possible Action) Report, Discussion and Possible Action on Legislative Activities, including the work of Interim Committees, of the 2023 Session of the Nevada Legislature, and any position the Board may take on Bills that have been signed into Law, Legislative Bills, and Bill Draft Requests that the Board is tracking, following, or that may impact the Board and its Operations.
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on the Revision to Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) 641.390, Representation or Practice Without

License or Registration Prohibited, which passed and was signed into law during the 2023 Session of the Nevada State Legislature.

- C. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action regarding and in response to 2023 AB244, which establishes certain rights of those who are compelled by court order to submit to a mental or physical examination.

## **6. Board Needs and Operations**

- A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Select Officers for the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners for a One-Year Term from July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024, from the Current Board Membership: Monique Abarca, Lorraine Benuto, Soseh Esmaeili, Stephanie Holland, Catherine Pearson, Whitney Owens, and Stephanie Woodard. Officers to be Selected may Include President, Secretary/Treasurer, Continuing Education Review Officer, Non-Resident Consultant Application Review Officer, and Exam Officer.

*Portions of this item were tabled from the June 2, 2023, Board meeting due to member absences.*

- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Select the Membership of the Application Tracking Equivalency and Mobility (ATEAM) Committee for a One Year Term from July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024, from the Current Board Membership: Monique Abarca, Lorraine Benuto, Soseh Esmaeili, Stephanie Holland, Catherine Pearson, Whitney Owens, and Stephanie Woodard. Current Members of the ATEAM Committee are Soseh Esmaeili, Stephanie Holland, and Catherine Pearson.

*This item was tabled from the June 2, 2023, Board meeting due to member absences.*

- C. Report from the Nevada Psychological Association.
- D. Report From the Executive Director on Board Office Operations.

## **7. (For Possible Action) Discussion, and Possible Action on Pending Consumer Complaints:**

- A. Complaint #19-0626
- B. Complaint #22-0930

C. Complaint #23-0303

**8. (For Possible Action) Review and Possible Action on Applications for Licensure as a Psychologist or Registration as a Psychological Assistant, Intern or Trainee. The Board May Convene in Closed Session to Receive Information Regarding Applicants, Which May Involve Considering the Character, Alleged Misconduct, Professional Competence or Physical or Mental Health of the Applicant (NRS 241.030). All Deliberation and Action Will Occur in an Open Session.** *Note: Applicant names are listed on the agenda to allow the Board to discuss applicants when necessary to move the applicant through the licensure process. The listing of an applicant's name on the agenda indicates only that an application for licensure/registration has been received. It does not mean that the application has been approved or that the applicant must appear at the meeting in order for the applicant's application to move forward through the licensure process. If an applicant needs to attend the meeting for the Board to take action, the applicant will be notified in writing prior to the meeting. Please, direct questions or comments regarding licensure applications to the Board office.*

**PSYCHOLOGISTS**

Dalea Alawar	Christopher Estep	Christine Kim	Lisa Rhee
Mary Lou Ancheta	Kathleen Fahrner	Donald Kincaid	Keri Ross
Robert Antonacci	Allison Faris	John King	Judy Fluor Runels
Ashley Arcoleo (Wilkins)	Leslie Feil	Ashley Kirby-Ward	Gail Shen
Rachel Attya	Nichole Flowers	Sandra Kubicki	David Shoup
Erick Arguello	Stephen Francis	Monica Larson	Nancy Small
Quintin Bailey	Gila Frank	Timothy Law	DeAnn Smetana
John Barona	Maiken Gale	George Lazo	Michael Stein
Anthony Bean	Elena Gavrilova	Karen Levine	Melissa Stolsig
Katherine Beckwith	Matthew Gibbons	Jessica Liberman	Tony Strickland
Kimberly Bergman	Dov Gold	George Lough	Jessica Taverniti
Dallas Boyce	Nancy Grau	Vanessa Ma	Kelly Thomas
Sarah Brennan	Peter Grover	Alexandra Matthews	Donna Truong
RaeLynn Brister	Stephanie Gstettenbauer	Viola Mejia	John Tsanadis
Corby Bulp	Dehnad Hakimi	Danielle Miro	James Underhill
Leandrea Caver	Nathan Hale	Samuel Montano	Michael Villanueva
Susan Chamberlain	Alexia Holovatyk	Alexandra Montesi	Amanda Wallick
Colleen Character	Alberto Ibarra	Caitlin Moore	Ann Watters
Kara Christiansen	Billie Ivra	Jonine Nazar-Biesman	Jessica Weis
Filippo Cieri	Saira Jhorn	Ana Ochoa	Michael Whitman
Steven Covelluzzi	Lori Johnson	Ariel Ogilvie-McSweeney	Jennifer Wilcox
Candy Crawford	Samantha Johnson	Akira Olsen	Michele Wilkens
Pegeen Cronin	Margaret Jones	Brian Olsen	Stephen Winston
Osvelia Deeds	Natalie Jones	Stephanie Orbon	Christine Winter
Nicola De Paul	Ta Tanisha Jones	Kathryn Pesch	Jamie Wong
Roman Dietrich	William Kaiser	Rachel Powers	Amanda Zayas
Adrienne DiFabio	Carolyne Karr	Norma Ramirez-Miranda	
Mark Dillon	Patricia Keeler	Kilynda Ray	
Mary Dinerman	Daphne Kendricks	Tatsiana Razzhavaikina	

### PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANTS

Ines Acevedo	Ashley Colson	Kelly Humphries	Shannon Rojas
Jeffrey Aguiar	Althea Cook	Kayla Kaiser	Farnaz Samavi
Sonakshi Arora	Jessica Crellin	Richelle Konczak	Daniela Sandelin
Tracy Basile	Kaleb Cusack	Dorota Krotkiewicz	Sharon Simington
Ramy Bassioni	Emerson Epstein	Laura Litynski	Krystal Smith
Dallas Boyce	Evan Fertel	Alexandra Miguel	Lydia Stevenson
Andrew Buchanan	Jacqueline Friar	Desiree Misanko	Katherine Stypulkowski
Tyler Camaione	Milagro Gonzalez	Luzviminda Morrow	Holly Summers
Candis Carswell	Kimberly Gray	Jonathan Parker	Heather Thompson
Christina Cendejas	Jennifer Grimes-Vawters	Dylena Pierce	Christine Vaughan
Taylor Chille	Joseph Henrich	Eric Prince	Marijo Villano
Kara Christensen	Akiko Hinds	Leilani Puentes	Nathaniel Wilkins
Tasman Cleaver	Bernadette Hinojos	Jacquelyn Rinaldi	

### PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERNS

Lorraine Apodaca	Shanel Harris	Ashley Key	Megan Tedrow
Brian Broomand	Tiffany Hunter	Erica Marino	Candice Thomas
Shannon Colon	Jessica Jensen	Coreen Schwartz	Rachel Wiggins
Mario De Souza	Jeanine Johnson	Ruby Sharma	Toi Williams
Michelle Gaston	Shalini Kabeer	Jasmin Smith	
Michelle Harden	Kayla Kaiser	Barbara Sommer	

### PSYCHOLOGICAL TRAINEES

Marissa Alvarez	Kinsey Ellis	Todd Jennings	Christine Salva
Vanni Arcaina	Kayla Fobian	Cynthia Johnston	Mary Smirnova
Glenn Blessington	Leila Gail	Demi Kourtesi	Madison Thomasson
Dominique Cheung	Paola Betancourt	Lee Haeun	Heather Thompson
Adaeze Chike-Okoli	Grace Goodwin	Nicole Martinez	Teresa Walker
Kieffer Christianson	Jaquelin Green	Michael McNamara	Bailey Way
Anna Cole	Kaelyn Griffin	Sara Moore	Jessica Woodyatt
Aimee D'Errico	Brandon Hunley	Amanda Mraz	
Erin Dunn	Madison Hurley	Ananda Peixoto-Couto	
Jacqueline Eddy	Bianca Islas	Jason Sadora	
		Shannon Sagert	

**A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Dr. Melissa Stolsig's Application for Licensure.**

**B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on Dr. David McIntyre's Reinstatement of his License.**

**C. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on Dr. Lisa Rhee's appeal of the ATEAM's May 12, 2023, Decision Denying her Application for Licensure.**

**D. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on:**

- the Request for Psychological Assistant Tracy Basile to be supervised by Dr. Christopher Shewbarran (PY1022), a licensed Psychologist who has had supervised supervision and supervision coursework, but who has been licensed for less than three years.
- Granting Dr. Soseh Esmaeili an Exception to the Number of Supervisees she can Supervise in Order to be Able to Supervise Psychological Assistant Tracy Basile.

*This item was tabled from the June 2, 2023, Meeting due to Dr. Esmaeili having to recuse herself from voting on this item and there not being a quorum without Dr. Esmaeili to take action.*

**9. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on the June 28, 2023, meeting of the Ad Hoc Committee to Consider the Registration of Supervisors of Psychological Assistants, Psychological Interns, and Psychological Trainees.**

**10. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on Dr. Gary Lenkeit's Proposed Addendum to the Board's Complaint and Disciplinary Policy regarding Court Ordered Evaluations and Court Ordered Psychological Services.**

**11. (For Possible Action) Schedule of Future Board Meetings, Hearings, and Workshops. The Board May Discuss and Decide Future Meeting Dates, Hearing Dates, and Workshop Dates**

**A.** The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners is Friday, August 11, 2023, at 8:00 a.m.

**B.** The date and location for the Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners' next strategic planning meeting.

**12. Requests for Future Board Meeting Agenda Items (No Discussion Among the Members will Take Place on this Item)**

**13. Public Comment** - Public comment is welcomed by the Board and may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the Board President. Public

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#### **14. (For Possible Action) Adjournment**

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The Board may recess for lunch for approximately one hour, at a time to be determined.

The Board is pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to participate in the meeting. If such arrangements are necessary, please contact the board office at (775) 688-1268 no later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, July 13, 2023.

For supporting materials, visit the Board's website at <http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/> or contact the Board office by telephone (775-688-1268), e-mail ([nbop@govmail.state.nv.us](mailto:nbop@govmail.state.nv.us)), or in writing at Board of Psychological Examiners, 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite B-116, Reno, Nevada 89502.

In accordance with NRS 241.020, this public meeting notice was properly posted at or before 8 a.m. on Tuesday, July 11, 2023, at the following locations:

- Board office located at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno;
- Nevada Public Notice website: <https://notice.nv.gov/>; and
- Board's website at [https://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2023/2023\\_BOARD\\_MEETINGS/](https://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2023/2023_BOARD_MEETINGS/).

In addition, this public meeting notice has been sent to all persons on the Board's meeting notice list, pursuant to NRS 241.020(3)(c).